

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Paul ADAMS *et al.*

Appl. No.: 10/725,264

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For: **Method and Apparatus for Filling  
a Fuel Container**

Examiner: Steven O. Douglas

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**Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In reply to the Supplemental Notice of Allowability dated September 6, 2006,  
Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks in the following format:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflecting in the listing of claims, which begins  
on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this document.